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09/888,114 Request Application Number For Filing Date June 22, 2001 Continued Examination (RCE) First Named Inventor Choi et al. Transmittal 1648 **Group Art Unit** Address to: Mail Stop RCE Examiner Name Zachariah Lucas **Commissioner for Patents** P.O. Box 1450

Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and

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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application.

Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

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2. [Miscellaneous)					
	a. Suspension period of	Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. §1.103(c) for a period of months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i) required)					
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3.	3. Fee The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. §1.114 when the RCE is filed.						
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	ii. 🛭 Exte	nsion of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and	s hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to unt No. <u>06-1050</u> required under 37 CFR 1.17(e) of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17)				
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